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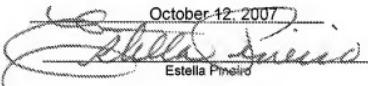
Applicant: Gene A. Bornzin et al. **Confirmation No.:** 9799
Serial No.: 10/810,437 **Examiner:** Jessica L. Reidel
Filed: 03/26/2004 **Art Unit:** 3766
Docket No.: A04P1029
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EVALUATING HEART FAILURE
BASED ON VENTRICULAR END-DIASTOLIC VOLUME
USING AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 12, 2007, for which a one-month extension of time is hereby requested, please amend the application as follows.